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746 KAPAHULU AVENUE

HONOLULU, HAWAII

CATTLEYAS - SPRING AND SUMMER 1952

Hawaiian bred Cattleyas are produced with one major purpose in mind -- QUALITY. For the finest in exhibition type plants we believe this list is most comprehensive. All plants are sturdy and strictly true to name and as represented. We do not heavily fertilize our plants as we believe a hard firm growth gives the purchaser an easier plant to adjust to his own conditions. Our plants are hard grown and respond quickly to such changes. For your guidance we list an average measurement of what can be expected on our plants with regards to size. All crosses do not grow equally and such a growth chart is an average only.

1 1/2"	largest growth	3" high	2 mature bulbs
2"	" "	5" "	3 " "
2 1/2"	" "	6"- 7" "	3 " "
3"	" "	8"- 10" "	4 " "
3 1/2"	" "	10" "	4 " "
4"	" "	10"- 12" "	4-5 " "

# 545	C. MOSSIAE REINECKIANA x C. DIONYSIUS ALBA - A very fine quality white with purple lip, spring and summer bloomer.	2 1/2"	- \$ 5.00
901	BLC. MONSULA (Bc. Montalvo x Blc. Ursula) - As fine a lavender Brasso combination as can be imagined. Principally fall, extremely large flower.	3 1/2"	- 7.50
1253	L. SUPERBIENS x SCHOMBURGKIA UNDULATA - A novelty, long sprays up to 4' in length, heads of 10-20 flowers, chocolate brown, curled and wavy.	1 1/2"	- 1.50
		2"	- 2.50
		4"	- 7.50
		5"	- 12.50
1266 & 1359	LC. CHRISTINE (C. Triumphans x Lc. Canberra "Stonehurst") - Some very fine yellows have flowered in this cross. Definitely a very good new yellow hybrid with red to purple lip.	3"	- 7.50
		& 4"	- 10.00
		4"	- 15.00
1264	BLC. BEN KODAMA (Lc. Canberra "Stonehurst" x B. Digbyana) - A highly variable hybrid, great range of colors from green, yellow, orange, to bronze. Several that have flowered are of F.C.C. caliber.	4"	- 10.00
		to 5"	- 15.00
		to 20.00	
1271 & 271	BLC. NANETTE ALBA, self cross - Several of these have flowered and prove to be equally good to the famous original cross. Some pure white, others touch of lavender in the lip.	1 1/2"	- 2.00
		2"	- 3.00
		3"	- 8.00
		3 1/2"	- 10.00
1282	C. PILGRIM (Tityus Westonbirt var. x C. Prospector) For a winter flower of high quality this cross has great possibilities. Deep dark lavender lip with contrasting sepals and petals.	2"	- 2.50
		3"	- 5.00
1287	LC. 49ER (C. Dowiana aurea x Lc. Mrs. Medo) - a fine quality yellow with deep purple lip. Some exceptional plants in this cross.	3"	- 6.00
		3 1/2"	- 10.00

#1296	BLC. AHIAHI (Lc. Massasoit x B. digbyana) - A variable hybrid in color, dark to light lavender, large frilled Brasso lip, late fall.	2"	-	\$ 2.50
		2 1/2"	-	3.50
		3"	-	5.00
1305	LC. MRS. MEDO x C. MAGGIE RAPHAEL ALBA - A fine quality yellow to cream with deep purple lip, fall and winter.	3"	-	6.00
		3 1/2"	-	10.00
		4"	-	15.00
1306	C. LYNDELL (C. Enid alba McBeans x C. Ursula)	1 1/2"	-	1.50
	Quite variable, white purple lip, lavender, and white deep purple spashed petals, have appeared, spring flowering.		limited	
		3"	-	6.00
		4"	-	12.50
1307	BLC. WALTER FUJIKAMI (B. Digbyana x Lc. Dulzura) - A fine white Brasso, some with colored lips, winter and spring.	2"	-	2.50
		2 1/2"	-	5.00
1308	BLC. KAHAWAI (Lc. x Princess Margaret x B. Digyana) - A fine primary Brasso - Lc. Princess Margaret is a tetraploid and the cross is sure to be good. Season fall.	3"	-	3.50
		3 1/2"	-	5.00
		4"	-	8.00
1310	C. SUZANNE HYE ALBA x (Lc. Hassallii Alba x B. Digyana) A speculative cross, probably light lavender, good texture, possibly some white, season winter.	3"	-	4.00
1311	BC. ILENE x LC. LOCARNO - Both parents are very large and dark. Should produce a fine Blc.	3"	-	6.00
		3 1/2"	-	5.00
1312	LC. HASSALLII ALBA x B. DIGBYANA - Both pure white and white with purple lip Brassos. Very large frilled lips.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
		2 1/2"	-	3.50
1319	BC. J. K. KING x C. TITYUS WESTONBIRT VAR - Dark flowers, excellent shape, season fall and winter.	3"	-	5.00
		3 1/2"	-	7.50
		4"	-	10.00
		6"	-	15.00
1326	LC. CHITOSE KODAMA (Lc. Dorothy Fried x C. Jicarillo) - A very dark Lc with fine proportions. Outstanding exhibition type.	2"	-	2.50
		3"	-	5.00
		3 1/2"	-	10.00
1327	LC. MIMBRENO x SAM HOUSTON - Good quality exhibition type with dark lustrous lips. Season fall and winter.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
1334	LC. MARIE DOBROTT x BC. MARONAE - A fine proportioned large Blc. - Lighter sepals and petals dark lip, season winter.	2"	-	2.50
		3"	-	5.00
		4"	-	10.00
1347	LC. SAM HOUSTON x C. TITYUS W'BIRT VAR - An exceptional cross for winter, fine exhibition types are hard to get for this season. This cross should answer the purpose.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
		2 1/2"	-	3.50
		3"	-	5.00
		3 1/2"	-	8.00
1348	C. TRIUMPHANS x COWANIAE ALBA - Speculative for a fall flower. Petals light yellow to cream white purple lip.	2 1/2"	-	3.50
		3"	-	5.00
		3 1/2"	-	8.00

# 1350	C. THEBES BRONZE KING x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - This is a cross of fine possibilities. The Thebes is a good proven parent. Crossed with Nanette alba the results should be quite spectacular.	1 1/2"	-	\$ 2.00
		2"	-	3.00
1357	C. GLADYS TSUKAMOTO x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - Probably light lavender to pink, fine texture, good size, fall and winter.	1 1/2"	-	.75
		2"	-	1.50
		2 1/2"	-	2.50
1360	BLC. NANETTE ALBA x BC. HEATHERWOOD ALBA - Speculative but expect a fine Brasso with white sepals and petals and purple lip.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
1361	LC. CANBERRA "STONEHURST" x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - Another yellow by Nanette combination that has great possibilities, summer and fall.	1 1/2"	-	2.00
		2"	-	3.00
		3"	-	7.50
		4"	-	to 10.00
			-	15.00
1362	C. GEORGE F. REYNOLDS (C. Florence Dalton x C. Dinha, A. M. Var) - Whenever C. Dinha A. M. var. is used as a parent, the shape is always excellent. Crossed with Florence Dalton it is a sure bet, medium to to dark lavender, fall and winter season.	3"	-	3.50
		3 1/2"	-	5.00
1363	C. ESTELLE ALBA x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - Pure speculation, we frankly doubt the result will be white. Should produce a good heavy textured winter Brasso of high production.	2"	-	1.50
1367	LC. LOCARNO x BC. ESTELLE - A very large Brasso with good shape, med. lavender, season winter.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
		3"	-	5.00
1368	C. LILLIAN STEWART x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - Very similar to #1363, perhaps even heavier production.	1 1/2"	-	.75
		2"	-	1.50
		2 1/2"	-	4.00
1117	BC. MONTALVO x LC. WAROMAS - A fine Blc. of great size and texture, winter and fall.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
1122	C. JANICE TANAKA x ESTELLE ALBA - Pure white, very heavy production, winter and spring.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50
1125	BLC. J. K. LILLY x BC. HARTLAND VAR. COURAGEOUS Deep lavender of the finest shape possible, fall and winter.	1 1/2"	-	2.00
		2"	-	3.00
1129	C. HESPERUS x LC. EVE VAR. RADIANCE - A very dark lip, wide sepals and petals, good exhibition type.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
C-6	LC. ISSY (L. Tenebrosa x C. Guttata Leopoldi) - A wide range of color, green, yellow, bronze, red lavender. Flowers small but many on a spray. Spikes tall, season all year.	2"	-	2.50
		3"	-	5.00
C-52	L. ANCEPS VERY DARK x C. BICOLOR - A deep bronze hybrid with Anceps type of spike. Should prove very effective for display.	1 1/2"	-	1.50
		2"	-	2.50

#1315	LC. ROBERTIANA VAR. REINE ELIZABETH x BC. GRAND MONARCH - A large well shaped Brasso, lavender, season fall and winter.	3" - \$ 4.00 3 1/2" - 6.00 4" - 10.00
1366	LC. DOROTHY FRIED x C. DINAH A.M. - A sure bet for exceptional exhibition type. Dark lip - lighter sepals and petals. Summer and fall.	3" - 5.00 3 1/2" - 8.00
1375	(LC. MASSASOIT x C. HARDYANA) x BC. MONETA - A large dark Brasso. Fall and winter.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50 2 1/2" - 3.50 3" - 5.00
1380	C. MESCALERO ALBA x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - White purple lip - good texture and shape-Spring.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1382	BC. FRED HILL x C. EDITHIAE - Pale lavender to near white - large Brasso shape and winter season.	1 1/2" - 1.50
1387	BLC. ILENE x C. CHELSEA VAR. CHAIRMAN - A large Brasso lavender pink, fall and winter.	1 1/2" - 1.50
1394	C. HESPERUS x LC. LOCARNO - Similar to cross #1129	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50 2 1/2" - 3.50 3" - 5.00
1395	C. ENID ALBA McBEANS VAR x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - Very fine quality white with purple lip brasso - spring.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1400	C. TITYUS x BC. GOLIATH - Medium lavender - exceptional size. Summer and fall.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1401	LC. THORA - LINDORA x LC. HILO - Large Sargon type Lc. Dark color. Fall	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1405	BC. APPLEBLOSSOM x LC. PAGHAM - Small to medium size - deep orange to yellow and lavender bronze - spring and summer.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1408	C. GIGAS x LC. EDITH WILKIE - Large bright lavender - exceptional production - summer and fall.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1412	C. ESTELLE ALBA x BC. SONIA - Pure white Brasso - some lavenders. Winter flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50
1417	LC. LADY MAY x LC. LOCARNO - Fall flowering - fine shape, very dark lips, contrasting sepals and petals.	2" - 2.50
1424	C. SUZANNE HYE ALBA x BC. WILLIAM KLIENHEINZ ALBA - Large white Brasso - winter flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1435	LC. TUSCAN x C. GIGAS - Heavy texture, very dark lavender, fall flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50

# 1437	C. HESPERUS x BC. CORRIENTES - Large Brasso - fall winter, medium lavender color.	1 1/2" - \$ 1.50 2" - 2.50
1457	C. EDITHIAE x SIMPLICITY - Exceptionally heavy textured white, winter flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1456	C. TITYUS x LC. TUSCAN - Very dark-heavy texture - good shape, fall flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50 2 1/2" - 3.50
1459	BLC. LIGHTHOUSE x LC. MYGDON - A speculative cross - expect pure white, white purple lips, and lavender Brassos - winter flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50 2 1/2" - 3.50
1504	LC. CANTABILE ALBA x BC. SONIA - White purple lip Brasso - exceptional production - winter flowering.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1522	(Lc. Ettrick x Lc. General Maude var. Purple Glory) C. Dowiana Aurea - A possibility for very fine yellows and Bronze with dark full purple lips. Summer and fall.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1530	C. THEBES VAR. BRONZE KING x BLC. SAMOSET - A very fine Bronze and yellow Brasso - Spring and summer	1 1/2" - 2.00 2" - 3.00
1537	(Lc Ishtar x Blc. Helmsdale) x (Lc Hertha Perfection) Very finest quality exhibition hybrid lavender. Fall and winter.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1538 282	C. BOW BELLS (Edithiae x Suzanne Hye Alba) - A famous winter flowering white.	Com. pots - 10.00 1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1573	C. ENID x BC. LILIUOKALANI - A very large spring flowering lavender Brasso.	1 1/2" - 1.50 2" - 2.50
1579	LC. GOLD FLAKE x BC. OLN A - Orange to yellow - medium size - heavy texture - summer and fall.	1 1/2" - 2.00 2" - 3.00
1597	LC. S. J. BRACEY x BLC. NANETTE ALBA - Possibility for a very fine yellow to bronze Brasso - Fall.	1 1/2" - 2.00 2" - 3.00
K-1	C. MARGUERITE COLL x B. DIGBYANA - A light lavender pink Brasso - Winter flowering.	2 1/2" - 2.50
142	C. WHITE LADY x (C. Eucharis x Harrisoniana Alba) - A very heavy textured medium size winter flowering pure white.	2 1/2" - 3.50
155	(C. Eucharis x Harrisoniana Alba) x C. ESTELLE ALBA - A very similar to the above cross.	2 1/2" - 3.50
306	LC. BLANCHETTE ALBA x C. HARDYANA ALBA - Fine shape - white purple lip - Spring and summer.	2" - 2.50
358	BLC. DAWN ANGELA x LC. CUESTA - A fine exhibition hybrid - light sepals and petals - dark lip - fall and winter.	2" - 2.50

# 296	C. MADAME RITA SLADDEN x ANGELINA ALBA - A very free flowering winter white good shape and texture.	2'' -	\$ 2.50
C-90	L. CRISPA x LC. YASMIN - Laelia type - bronze lavender - great production up to six flowers on a spike. Fall.	Com. pots -	10.00
C-95	Lc. Interbrosa x L. Xanthina - a small flowered hybrid deep bronze to yellow. Many flowers per spike. Heavy texture - fall.	Com. pots -	10.00
C-99	C. HARRISONIANA x LC. BOADICEA VAR REGINA - Very free flowering heavy texture medium size - lavender pink.	Com. pots -	10.00
C-71	C. ARDMORE ALBA x LC. GATTON GLORY - Cream to white with dark purple lip - Spring flowering.	1 1/2'' - 2'' -	1.50 2.50
C-78	C. TRIANAE VAR COERULEA x LC. DULCE - Pale lavender to ice blue-long laelia anceps type of spike -winter.	1 1/2'' - 2'' -	1.50 2.50
C-63	C. BICOLOR x LC. CALIZONA - A deep yellow bronze very heavy texture - Summer and fall.	1 1/2'' -	2.00
C-76	C. Granulosa x LC. Nuuanu - Deep green yellow - exceptional texture - Spring and summer.	1 1/2'' -	1.50

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